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No End Seen For Local Strike As Talks Continued

Effects Of Strike Felt In Community After Many Leave

The possibility of an early end to the current strike of Lumber and Sawmill Workers of the AFL against the Truckee mill of the Stockton Box Company dimmed this week as no end of the dispute was apparently in sight.

Next Monday the strike shutdown will start its third week as more than 100 men are affected and idle and the production line at the mill and yard, as well as in the woods, is at a standstill.

Here and there throughout Northern California, Oregon and Washington scattered mills are coming to term with the employes and work has resumed, but for the most part, the industry is idle and more than 100,000 men are without work.

The dispute centers around wages, with the workers asking a 12¼ cents an hour overall increase and the mill owners offering to resume the old contract without applying a previously threatened decrease from the average pay.

Not only are the men and mills feeling the pinch of the layoff, but Truckee has temporarily lost its biggest single payroll and the effects are being felt among the merchants of the area.

A feeling of friendship exists between management and employers here, Lew Baysinger, mill superintendent, has said, and the entire trouble apparently hinges on the local's headsuarters at Auburn.

Some of the employes have left the area seeking work elsewhere, but others are remaining in hope that a settlement can be arrived at in the near future.

Hold Meeting

Twenty-eight lumber operators met this week in San Francisco to discuss the strike in the industry. The employers represented in excess of 30 operations in Central California, and have about 5700 employees out on strike. The strike was called on June 21.

The employers re-examined their position and unanimously restated their refusal to agree to any wage or cost increase this year.

An employer spokesman said, in summarizing the group's position:

"Lumber industry prices are down to 1950 levels. Wage rates are 40½c higher than in 1950. In face of this economic situation, responsible management will not agree to any wage or cost increase.'

Taxpayers Association Rap Supervisors For Holding Secret Meet

NEVADA CITY — The Nevada County Taxpayers Association expressed strong disapproval of secret meetings by county supervisors in a letter read before the board.

The letter, signed by G. Otis Ogden, president of the taxpayers group, said in part:

"On July 1st a portion of the meeting was conducted in a secret manner as four supervisors huddled together with the welfare director (George Lowry) and whispered for several minutes.

"Such activity is not in accordance with the government code."

The letter suggested the supervisors ask an opinion of the district attorney concerning the interpretation of state rules on secret meetings.

MAN BEATEN NEAR SUMMIT TREATED

John C. Wood, 37, San Francisco, is under treatment at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for severe head injuries which he said were the result of an unprovoked beating administered while he was riding on a freight train near Norden.

Wood told Deputy Sheriff Roy Waters that he was attacked by a man armed with a heavy board. He was thrown off the train, made his way to the highway and taken to the hospital by Truckee ambulance.

Waters is continuing the investigation.

Kearney Brings News Of Pioneer's Death

Frank Kearney, Sacramento, and Mrs. Charles A. Gates and daughter, Miss Charlotte of Piedmont were business visitors here on Friday.

Kearney, a well known resident of Truckee for many years said that Mrs. Bridget Smith Finnegan who recently died in Sacramento at the age of 91 years was married here, the family leaving for the valley in 1911.

Presided at Meet—

Vernon Stoll, district attorney of Nevada County, presided at the district attorney's convention held at Sonoma last week.

Minor Wrecks Are Reported For This Area Over Holiday

Only minor motor vehicle accidents were reported during the Fourth of July weekend by the California Highway Patrol.

Saturday afternoon Isabel R. Hefelfinger of Nevada City discovered that her automobile s clutch and brakes had given out as she neared the bottom of Donner Grade. Unable to stop, she ran the vehicle into the rocks. Roy Stallard investigated the accident. No one was injured.

Sunday Anthony J. Bello of Dixon and Carl H. Rippen of Sacramento driving separate cars were involved in an accident which resulted in minor injuries to Elma Rippen, Sacramento, and Elsa McCarthy of Vallejo. Both women were taken to Tahoe Forest Hospital for treatment.

Bello was cited by investigating officer Stallard for being out of proper lane with safety.

Jerry Perata of Oakland damaged the left fender of his car at midnight on July4 two miles north of Tahoe City and was cited for driving too fast and failure to keep vehicle under control in a mountain area and being over the center line, by Highway Patrol Officer Caroll Maynard. The car driven by Perata made snakelike skid marks for 400 feet before it was stopped on the shoulder of the road just short of the Truckee River.

Miss Terry Mattoili of Squaw Valley, a passenger was taken to Tahoe Forest Hospital following the accident.

William Baxter, Jr., of Oakland, was cited with following an other vehicle too closely near Donner Lake Lodge by Officer Maynard on July 4.

LEAMON INSTALLED AS LEGION HEAD; OTHER OFFICERS

Robert Leamon was installed as commander of Truckee Post No. 439, American Legion, Tuesday evening, with Jack Waggoner acting as installing officer.

Other officers for the ensuing year who also took their places following a recent election are Jack Ellis, first vice commander; William Curran, second vice commander; Omar Alexander, adjutant and finance officer; James McIver, chaplain; Everett Parker, service officer and historian; Lloyd Everett, sergeant-at-arm; Frank Giovannoni, custodian.

Refreshments were served following the meeting.

WOMEN'S CLUB HOLDS MEET; PLAN BAZAAR

CARNELIAN BAY — members and guests of the Women's Club of Tahoe enjoyed a colorful luncheon in the quiet environment of the White House at Carnelian Bay, over looking Lake Tahoe. The afternoon was enjoyed by everyone and the club expressed thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Marthaller for the cooperation and work they went to to serve the luncheon.

The women's club will hold their annual bazaar and food sale July 24 at Community Hall in Tahoe City from 10 a.m. throughout the day.

The next meeting will be held at Don Huff's Homewood Resort at 12:30 p.m. on July 15.

BERKELEY FIRM TO DO TRUCKEE WORK

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — The State Department of Public Works today announced award of a contract for grading and paving the yard of the Truckee Maintenance Station on Burkhalter avenue, in Truckee.

The contract went to J. Henry Harris, Berkeley, for $13,779.

Recruiter for Marines—

Staff Sergeant Recruiter Thomas Cone, Jr., of Reno was here this week recruiting for the U. S. Marines, expecting to get a group of men from this area to form a Nevada squad. The group will leave Reno on July 27 for training.

Byers Back—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Byers and family of Sacramento visited local friends during the weekend.

More Fires Are Reported In Area During Past Week

Truck Starts Forest Fire In In Floriston Area, Raisins Burn

Forest fire No. 9, man caused, was discovered just north of the Brockway Golf Course and immediately back of the thickly populated summer tract this morning at 5:30 and burned over half an acre before being brought under control.

Henry Toccalini, dispatcher at the Truckee office of the Forest Service, reported fire No. 8 occurrer last Thursday across the highway from the Hirschdale lumber mill. Employes of the mill discovered the flames and reported to the forest service, then worked to control the fire.

At the time, the forest service crews were engaged in putting out a 60-acre fire near Tahoe City.

Crews from Tahoe City, Kings Beach, Truckee, State Line and the Kings Beach fire truck and other volunteers, battled fire No. 9 this morning.

A small timber fire just west of Floriston along Highway 40 was caused last Friday when a truck ran off the grade, overturned and caught fire.

The suppression truck from the Truckee Forest Service Station was called to the scene and prevented the fire from gaining headway. It was Tioybe forest, just east of the Tahoe National.

The driver of the truck, Paul Allen of Meridan, Idaho, told State Patrolman William Gautsche that his brakes failed and he ran the vehicle off the road and jumped. The truck was loaded with raisins and the entire cargo was destroyed. The driver was not hurt.

The truck was registered to A. E. Heyliger of Meridan, the officer said.

The truck landed approximately 30 feet off the highway among scrub trees, which immediately ignited. A patrol was kept on the fire throughout the night to prevent it from spreading.

TAHOE CITY—Tahoe City narrowly escaped a second distastrous fire Monday when a brush fire was discovered burning about 50 feet from the roadway on Fairway Drive, above Tahoe City, around 2 p.m.

A smoker is believed to have started the blaze which was quickly brought under control when neighbors manned hoses from their gardens and extinguished it before it could get a good start. A fire in this area could do untold damage, being just one block from the Tahoe Lake Elementary School, and in the residential district. The Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department responded to the call but the blaze was under control when it arrived.

Pythian Sunshine Girls To Leave For Sessions

Donner Council Pythian Sunshine Girls met Wednesday night with Janice Gray, royal princess, presiding. The new officers occupied their chairs for the first meeting of the new term.

Pins are to be awarded for perfect attendance. Plans were completed for the trip to the grand council to be held in Lodi July 9th and 10th. Sharon Pace was elected to represent Donner Council and other girls attending will be Nancy Marquis, Nancy Kaspian, Shirley Guymer, Arlene Copeland, Sherrie Curran, Judy Stewart, accompanied by their royal advisor, Pearl Heller and Valerie Stewart.

Vehicle Deaths Are Less Than Expected

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — The death toll on state highways and streets during the Fourth of July weekend was not as high as the California Highway Patrol expected.

Patrol officials said the list of fatalities between 6 p.m. Friday and midnight Monday mounted to 36, but did not reach the patrol's pre-holiday estimate of 50.

Throughout the state, accidents causing injury or death totaled 385, the officials reported.

SUNBEAMS

By WALTER M. BARRETT

There are recurrent discussions in the county official circles over the possibility of forming a county-wide fire district, to enbrace all the area not currently inside established fire districts. While Truckee is included in the latter category, there are hundreds of small summer homes widely scattered throughout the district which would be affected if such a program is carried out. How the framers of the plan would offer protection to these widely separated small home owners—many of them several miles from any possible fire fighting organization—is a mystery. The U. S. Forest Service maintains one of the best and most far-reaching fire protection organizations it is possible to have and we believe that any district formed by the county governing board would have terrific expense if it tried to match those facilities. The plan is, no doubt, good and could be made workable in districts where homes and farms are in close circles, but we believe that its effectiveness could not be of any material benefit in local areas. We would strongly recommend that the Tahoe National Forest area be excluded from any such project.

A number of recent fires, all mancaused, have caused considerable concern among the officials of the forest service, who point out the tinder-dry condition of the grass, brush and trees. They issued repeated warnings against carelessness with fire and strongly urge everyone to adhere closer than ever to the rules governing the handling of fire and smoking in the forest. Already this year the area has lost more that during the past three years because of careless handling of matches and smoking and the season is hardly started when the fire hazards rise to their heights.

PATROL ISSUES 160 TICKETS ON WEEKEND

Despite the fact that records for travel were set and the area was filled with thousands of weekend vacationers, no major mishaps were reported by the officers of the district during the Independence Day holiday.

The California Highway Patrol in the Truckee area issued 160 citations, all but six for so-called "moving violations" and this was credited with minumizing the number of accidents.

Constable N. F. Dolley and Deputy Sheriff Roy Waters reported no arrests in the Truckee district.

Forest Service officials breathed easier as only incipient fires, one in the Lake Tahoe area and the other near Floriston, the latter caused by a truck wreck, were reported. The forest was filled with campers and fishermen, but evidently all used care in handling fires and matches.

Dr. Needham Speaks At Lions Meeting

Dr. P. R. Needham, in charge of the University of California's experimental station on Sage Hen Creek, spoke before the meeting of the Truckee Lions Club last night, telling of the work being done and its relation to better fishing in this region. Earl Stice, newly installed president of the club, presided.

The Lions will meet the Rotary Club in a softball game at the ball park here Friday evening at 6:30.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barton, formerly of Kings Beach, have announced the arrival on June 17th of Diane Carole Barton, eight pounds and six ounces. The Bartons sold their interests at Tahoe this spring and are now making their home at Yuba City.

Guests From Wyoming—

Mr. and Mrs. O. Alexander had as their guest Miss Ruth Mackie of Rock Springs, Wyo.

Tahoe Regatta To Be Held July 25; Carnival Aug. 15

Tahoe Yacht Club Sponsors Annual Event At Chambers

TAHOE CITY—The date of the Annual Tahoe Yacht Club Regatta has been set for July 25 at the Chambers' Lodge, Lakoe Tahoe. The club's annual luncheon at which time new officers are elected, will be held at Chambers' on Saturday, July 24. A water ski carnival wil be held on August 15 this year at the same locale.

Events, which start at 9:30 p.m., include the 115 HP and under, stock displacement hulls and engines; 5¼ HP and under for drivers not over 12, and 10 HP and under, for drivers not over 16 years, to be run simultaneously; 130 HP and under, stock displacement hulls and engines; 160 HP and under Chris-Crafts only — stock displacement hulls and engines; 165 HP and under, stock displacement hulls; ladies' championship race — two events to be run simultaneously—200 HP and under 130 HP and under, all stock displacement hulls and engines; 25 foot and long stock displacement hulls — no hydroplanes; three lap Lake Tahoe championship race at 11:20 a.m.—hydroplanes only. Relay race—open to all classes except hydroplanes; bang-and-go-back race open to all classes except hydroplanes and outboards. All events, except second and eighth, limited to Tahoe Yacht Club members. The commodore's cup will be awarded the boat winning the most points during the day's events. Trophies are on display at Chambers' Lodge and will be awarded after the last race.

George Merriam Lewis is commodore of the Tahoe Yacht Club, R. Randolph Waker is vice commodore and Lowell Berry is rear commodore. Clark Hall is chairman of the regatta committee.

Sacramento Softball Team To Meet Local Stars Here Sunday

The Consolidated Soft Ball team from Sacramento will be here Sunday morning to meet a team from the Truckee Athletic Club on the diamond here at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, Daven Morey, club president, announced this week.

The local team will be made up from the stars of the three Truckee teams currently playing in the soft ball league here.

The Consolidate Sacramento outfit is considered one of the best teams in that area and will give the locals a bit of a battle, Morey predicts.

Refreshments will be available and the public is invited to attend without charge.

LOCAL MINISTER OUTLINES MEETS

Rev. Wesley Osman's sermon title fo rthis Sunday will deal with the whole matter of religion and health—"Can We Depend on Faith Healing?"

The Methodist Youth Fellowship started its organizational meeting Sunday night. Officers will be elected for the coming year and plans will be under way for the remainder of the summer.

The official board of the church will meet this Friday at 7:30 in the church. All members are urged to attend for an important matter must be considered and decided upon regarding the use of the church for a community day nursery.

Pastor Osman indicates that more of the community ought to take advantage of our priceless heiratage and worship at the church of our choice.

Cavitts at Ranch—

Mrs. W. M. Cavitt and family has come from Loomis to join her husband on their cattle ranch here.

Former Local Man in Tacoma—

Kramer Adams, until recently public information officer for the California Department of Fsh and Game has accepted a position as recreation administrator for a timber concern at Tacoma, Wash. Adams formerly worked in Truckee.

Proposed Building Ordinance Given Official Scrutiny

An enabling ordinance, designed to prevent any unsanitary condition in the unincorporated areas of Nevada County, is being studied by the board of supervisors.

The ordinance is rather broad, setting forth certain stipulations which may be applied and enforced in any specific area at the request and upon the initiative of 60 per cent or more of the property owners of that area.

The action has long been contemplated by the Nevada County Planning Commission and is looked upon with favor by a large number of property owners in the Donner Lake area as well as other sections which are growing fast and without regard to sanitary measures.

The principal purpose of the ordinance, to be known as the Nevada County Zoning Enabling Ordinance, if and when passed by the board of supervisors, is to promote, protect and secure the public health, safety and general welfare.

It would provide minimum building standards for business as well as homes and protect present home owners from unsanitary conditions which might result from crowding and use of improper facilities.

Supervisor H. G. Loehr said he has not decided definitely just what action he will take on the proposed ordinance, but apparently looks upon it with favor and said a number of residents and business people in the Donner Lake district have urged its adoption.

None of the provisions, he said, will be retroactive but are designed for future development projects.

EARTHQUAKES ARE FELT HERE AND IN TAHOE REGION

An earthquake at 4:15 a.m. Tuesday was felt throughout the Truckee and Lake Tahoe areas but apparently caused damage at Fallon, Nev., where some 25 homes suffered as a result.

Locally, the quake was severe enough to arouse light sleepers and dishes and pictures were rattled. No damage was reported.

A second, but less severe shock was reported Tuesday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock. Connie Euer of the 7-C ranch, north of here, was one of the first reporting the tremor.

TAHOE CITY—Lake Tahoe residents were rudely awakened at 4:15 a.m. on Tuesday by a severe earthquake, which rolled in a circular motion and according to Art Frodenberg, lasted approximately one minute. This was followed by a milder shock and no damage was reported.

A heavy earth shock was reported as having been centered at Ely, Nev., at approximately the same time and the local tremor may be associated with that felt in the Nevada desert.

Girl Scouts To Attend Meetings At Tahoe

Alitha Marquis is the first of several members of Donner Troop No. 3, Girls Scouts to attend the Washoe Girl Scouts Camp being held at Meek's Bay.

The instructive and recreational activities for more than 100 girls in the camp are under the supervision of Grace Donehower of Reno, Nev., director.

COUNTY GAINS IN BUSINESS YEAR

According to the report for the fiscal year 1953-54, compiled by Elma Hecker, county treasurer, the County of Nevada contracted about four million dollars worth of business and ended up on June 30, 1954, with a balance of $834,645.74.

The county gained over $110,000 during the year with permits and receipts bringing in $3,979,715.15 and paying out in warrants and disbursements $3,870,010.12.

Paces Here—

Mr. and Mrs. George Pace of Sunnyvale were visiting friends and relatives here during the weekend. They formerly resided in Truckee.

Boat Races Will Be Held Sunday On Donner Lake

Barbecue Will Be Feature Of Program This Sunday P. M.

With the applause for the excellent display of fireworks at Donner Lake Sunday evening still echoing, the Truckee Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the affair, has turned its attention to the next program on the summer schedule—the outboard motor boat races at the west end of Donner Lake next Sunday.

The event will start at noon and continue during the afternoon, concluding with a barbecue at 4 p.m., following which the trophies will be presented the winners.

The weather promises to be ideal for the races and some fast times are expected to be recorded as the water "hot rods" speed over the course. The number of entries assure stiff competition.

On the committee assisting Bud Bradshaw, manager of Donner Lake Lodge, who is arranging the program, are President Howard Newsham, Rex Reid, Dr. Oliver Scow and Orval Vaughan.

Tickets for the barbecue are now being sold and the proceeds from this portion of the program are expected to create a fund for financing future races on Donner, Vaughan, who is chairman of the advertising and publicity committee, said.

The fireworks Sunday evening attracted hundreds of people and the lake shore was lined with cars from one end to the other and the west end was jam-packed. The committee comprising Rex Reid, Earl Stice and Newsham, handled the display expertly and the crowd was well pleased with the show.

A dance on the pavilion followed the fireworks display.

FREDERICK HONORED FOR HIS WORK IN DONNER SKI AREA

Herbert O. Frederick, operator of the Norden Store has been signally honored by the National Ski Patrol for the assistance he has rendered skiiers in his area over the past several years.

The recommendation for the citation was made by Jack Marturano, section chief of the patrol in the Donner Summit area.

The honor, coming from Edward F. Taylor, national director of the National Patrol System, is the sixth such award to be presented.

In part the recommendation for the citation read:

"We recommend that Mr. Frederick be given honorary membership to the NSPS for his long years of service and assistance to the injured skiers landing in front of his store on Highway 40 from Soda Springs, Sierra Club, Sugar Bowl, etc. He willingly gave transportation to the Truckee Hospital with his own truck, his own time, a cup of tea, coffee, more blankets, bandage, phone calls, messages; gathered up equipment from hospital, express office, for return to the Sugar Bowl Ski Patrol or other resorts on Highway 40. The Donner area knows a mere knock on his door any hour of the night will bring him out to help and drive the injured immediately to the hospital."

Drivers' Examiner To Be Here 2 Days Weekly

Glenn Freeman, department of motor vehicle clerk, announced this week that during the month of July he will be at the Truckee office of the California Highway Patrol for the purpose of issuing drivers licenses and handling other matter for the department, such as registration, etc., two days each week, Monday and Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

There is a strong possibility that a full-time department clerk will be stationed here, but no definite announcement has been made.

Tahoe Resort Owners Attend Hoberg Meeting

LAKE TAHOE—Pete Bennett, manager of the Brockway Hotel, George Kehlet, Meeks May Resort manager and Mr. and Mrs. Don Huff, operators of Homewood Resort, comprised the delegation from Lake Tahoe attending the regional meeting of the California State Hotel Association held June 29 at Hoberg, Lake County.

Bennett was among the discussion speakers on the program.

The affair included a resort meeting in the morning followed by a luncheon and an afternoon devoted to business matters. LeRoy Linnard, president of the association was in charge of the sessions.

Rides in Rodeo—

Miss Sharon Reynolds, University of Nevada student from Truckee rode in western regalia in the parades during the recent Reno rodeo.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 22nd day of July, 1954, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M., at the main entrance to the Nevada County Courthouse, in Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, the undersigned trustee under the deed of trust executed by Clifford J. Cason and Lela B. Cason, his wife, parties of the first part, to Oroville Title Company, a corporation, party of the second part, and trustee therein, and Ira O. Gifford and Laura S. Gifford, parties of the third part and beneficiaries, recorded September 3, 1953, in Book 190 of Official Records of Nevada County, page 80 et seq., in the Office of the County Recorder of said Nevada County, by reason of default in the payment of the obligation secured thereby and in the performance of the covenants contained therein, including the breach or default, a notice of which was recorded March 11, 1954, in Book 194 page 534 in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, of Official Records, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States the interest conveyed to said trustee by said deed of trust in and to the property therein described, situated in the County of Nevada, State of California, described as follows, to wit:

All that portion of the East half of the Northeast quarter of Section 17, Township 17 North, Range 16 East, M.D.B. &M., described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the Northerly line of U. S. Highway No. 40, at the intersection of said line with the south line of the north half of the northeast quarter of said Section 17, from which point the northeast corner of said Section 17 bears the following two successive courses, to wit: North 84° 35' East 230.01 feet and North 1298.23 feet; thence from said point of beginning along said Northerly right of way line North 84° 35' East 105.04 feet to the southeasterly corner of the parcel herein described: thence leaving said highway line and running north 10° 11' West 98.33 feet; thence North 85° 08' 30" West 46.60 feet; thence South 76° 30' West 136.10 feet to the northwesterly corner of the parcel herein described; thence South 12° 19' 10" East 87.83 feet to a point on the said northerly highway right of way line; thence North 84° 32' East 72.96 feet to the place of beginning, and containing 0.40 acres more or less.

For the purpose of paying the balance due upon the principal sum of said note, together with interest due thereon to date of sale as provided in said note, sums if any advanced under the terms of said deed of trust; the expense of said sale and the compensation of said trustee, as therein provided. Terms of sale, cash in lawful money of the United States.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1954.

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TESTS FOR TRAFFIC OFFICERS IN STATE ELIMINATE MANY

SACRAMENTO—"So you want to be a state traffic officer?"

This question received an affirmative answer from thousands of ambitious young Californians last year and the first results of the questioning will be seen July 6 when 80 prospective officers report at the California Highway Patrol's modern academy for a gruelling three months training period.

The 80 are the first called from the eligibility list established by the State Personnel Board following the last statewide examination which attracted more than 5000 applicants. After a rigid weeding out process, a strict written examination, a careful personal analysis and a physical check-up, fewer than 600 of the original number survived. The 80 are part of the 200 additional officer personnel allowed by the legislature at this year's session and it is planned to complete the training of the entire 200 before July 1, 1955.

Today's traffic officers come from all walks of life and from all parts of the state. All have had at least a high school education and a number are college graduates. Many are veterans.

Before they get on the job, however, they will go through a course of training covering 54 subjects, all related to some phase of their future work. Experts from within the patrol and outstanding representatives from federal, state and private agencies are on the academy faculty, all working on a curriculum which has received highest praise from educational as well as law enforcement leaders. Traffic laws, court procedures, first aid, unarmed defense, accident investigation, public relations and many more subjects fill the hours and evenings of the men who for 12 weeks will eat and sleep in the group of new buildings six miles south of Sacramento.

Their assignments following training will be determined on various factors including high accident frequency and critical manpower shortage.

"Naturally we are pleased to have the 200 additional men the legislature granted us this year," said Commissioner B. R. Caldwell. "However, that number will bring the total patrol uniformed personnel to only approximately 1700, far too few for efficient handling of California's serious traffic accident problem. We need at least another 1000 men to give the type of protection necessary in a state with more than six million vehicles travelling nearly sixty billion miles each year.

"So far in 1954 our rural accident picture is encouraging but we cannot relax. We are confident that continual visible enforcement of laws which lead to accidents will prevent accidents and that is our goal.'

County Government Costs Show Small Gain Over Last Year

Property owners in Nevada County were billed an average of $73.83 per capita for local government spending in the county in 1953-54, compared with $49.30 for 1949-50 and $76.71 for 1952-53, California Taxpayers' Association reported today.

Included in the average property tax bill per person were the levies for the county, and the cities, school districts, and special districts in the county.

For the county government, the property tax bill averaged $33.39 per capita for 1953-54, compared with $22.30 for 1949-50 and $35.35 for 1952-53.

For the cities in the county, property taxes levied averaged $8.22 per person for this year, compared with $4.75 for 1949-50 and $8.73 for 1952-53.

For the school districts in the county, property tax bill was $31.22 per capita of population for 1953-54, $21.59 for 1949-50 and $31.37 for 1952-53.

For the county's special districts, the property tax averaged $1 per person for the current year, $0.66 for 1949-50 and $1.26 for 1952-53.

Statewide, the property tax bill for 1953-54 averaged $84.49 per person in the entire population, compared with $68.54 for 1949-50 and $79.49 for 1952-53.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, will sit as a Board of Equalization on Tuesday, July 6th; Monday, July 12th; and Monday, July 19th, 1954; for the purpose of equalizing the assessment rolls of the County of Nevada.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that any taxpayer of said County of Nevada who desires to file any objection to his assessment as made by the County Assessor, may appear before said Baord of Supervisors on any of the above dates, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P. M., and present his objections. If no person appears and objects to said assessment, said assessment will remain the same as setforth in full on the rolls of Nevada County as prepared by the said County Assessor.

R. E. DEEBLE
County Clerk and Ex-Officio clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
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TRUCKEE CHAPTER NO. 116 ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
Meets each first and third Tuesday of the month in the Masonic Building at Truckee.
DOROTHY KING, Worthy Matron
LOUISE ANDERSON, Secretary.

ROTARY CLUB OF TAHOE CITY
Meets Tuesday at 12:15 P.M. at Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.
BILL CONNERS, President
JIM MARTIN, Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets First and third Tuesday eac month at 6 p.m., Brown's Cafe.
HOWARD NEWSHAM, President
WINIFRED KAMP, Secty.

TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.
Stated Meeting 1st Thursday each month, Masonic Hall, Truckee.
C. E.MANDEVILLE, W.M.
J. D. ANDERSON, Secty.

TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month in Veteran Memorial Hall at 7 P. M.
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O. ALEXANDER, Adj.

TRUCKEE 20-30 CLUB NO. 344
Meets Wednesday at Truckee Elem. School at 7:30 P. M.
CHET BURNS, President.
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SWANEE'S Lake Tahoe Letter

Tahoe City, July 4th

Dear Tahoeites:

Well, the Fourth is drawing to a close and it can now be said that no finer fireworks display was ever seen anywhere around the lake than that which the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department boys furnished tonight. The weatherman co-operated admirably, although it was feared rain might fall earlier in the day when clouds obscured the sun and the air cooled perceptibly. However, tonight was perfect and the gorgeous skyrockets and other displays were beautiful. About midway through the program four local youths put on a water skiing exhibition which was both thrilling and spectacular.

Bud Scott towed two of the boys and Bartow Barnett's boat towed the others. The four graceful performers who carried flares as they wove back and forth on the lake in front of the Tahoe Commons were Bill Briners, Jim Brehler, Bartow Barnett and Mike Brown. Gerry Waters of Deer Park Lodge manned the microphone, and Al Fanger of Fanger's Lodge, Tahoma, donated the use of the announcing equipment.

These boys of the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department deserve the plaudits of the townsfolk, and the vacationing public as well, for each of these men gave the entire Fourth of July from their various businesses to prepare the big show, as well as a lot of other hours as well making plans and trying to collect a little money with which to pay the bill for the big event.

Bill Bechdolt, in charge of collections, told me tonight that the cost of the big display was $700 for the fireworks, and not quite half of that amount has been collected to date, so donations are still urgently requested and needed. Besides this, the big fire on June 30 wrought havoc with the local company's fire hoses, which were badly cut and broken during the hectic hours they were so badly needed. One generous citizen has donated $100 toward the purchase of new equipment, but much more than this is needed.

Thanks to a kindly Providence the wind held its direction away from Tahoe City, or the story of the fire might have had a very different, and more tragic ending. I talked tonight with the officers of the highway department who were sent to Tahoe today to aid in directing the endless stream of traffic. They estimated that close to 1200 cars converged on the area to witness the big fireworks display, and as far as is known, there were no accidents.

Six officers from the Placer County sheriff's office were on hand to assist the three officers from the regular highway patrol here. I parked and watched the long stream of cars moving in both directions after the show was over, and for a good 20 minutes a steady double stream of cars poured south through town, while a single column moved slowly northward.

Tahoe City's Fourth of July show has certainly found popularity with the public which still enjoys a rip-roarin' observance of our precious Independence Day. And how much safer to let the boys shoot off the fireworks harmlessly, with the fire department standing by to prevent, or stop, any accidental incident!

Today Squaw Valley held the last ski meet of the current season—the Fifth Annual Fourth of July Slalom. Results will be found elsewhere in the Sun. And in today's issue will also be found first news of the Tahoe Yacht Club's annual regatta, furnished me by Vice Commodore R. Randolph Walker.

This will be one of the next thrilling attractions for this area.

And want to call attention to a new advertiser from Reno—whom we are proud to recommend. He already has claimed a large number of Tahoe and Truckee patrons who are more than pleased with his services. He's D. Perkins, optician, where an appointment is necessary.

Dr. William F. Henry of Tahoe City, chirapractor, had a rather prominent patient one day recently in the person of Fernando Lamas, who with his bride Arlene Dahl, visited his office while on their honeymoon. Lamas, who has been under the careof MGM Studio's chiropractor, found himself in need of a treatment and called upon the services of Dr. Henry. He must have been well pleased, for after a trip to Reno he again stopped for another adjustment before taking off for southern California.

While here both Fernando and Arlene gave their autographs to little Carolyn Henry—a memento she treasures highly.

And speaking of actors and actresses Lake Tahoe reportedly is playing host to a number of celebrities, among them Rita Hayworth and entourage, Ava Garner, Dick Haymes, Aly Kahn, Wanda Hendrix (reported to be honeymooning at the Stack home in Carnelian Bay) Eleanor Holm, ex-wife of Billy Rose, who is reported to have been recently married again, and honeymooning at the Tahoe Biltmore and Terhan Bey, elephant boy, a guest at Chamber s Lodge.

Denis Sach who recently opened Tahoe City's first paint store—he handles Du Pont paints—reports business is picking up and he is well pleased with the fine co-operation the public is showing. Mrs. Sach tends the store, and Denny is kept busy contracting. He has just finished painting the lovely new Ellard Beans home on the lakeshore not far from the Tavern. He is the owner and promoter of Tahoe Tavern Heights.

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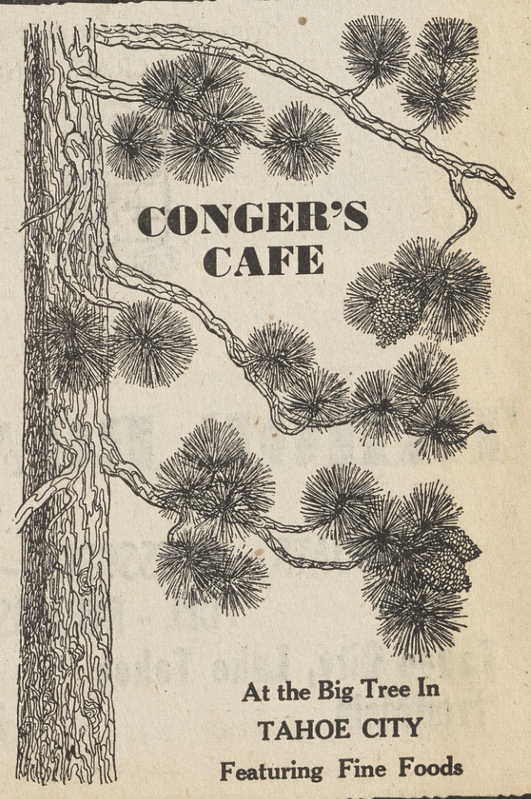

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The previous record in regular services was 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Felte received their membership certificates as they brought their young son Calvin John to the altar of the church for baptism. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Althof, as sponsors.

Beginning this Friday evening 7 to 8, and each Friday for the summer, there will be rehearsals for the children's choir including any who will be in the fifth grade through the eighth grade next year. The work is renovating the "Wee Kirk O' the Pines" for out-of-doors worship, is nearing completion. Loren Mosier has completed the assembly of 24 new benches, and Meredith Siple is engineering the paint job. Bud Mandeville has cleared and leveled the new site on the west end of the grounds, and has started work on the parking grounds.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship (MYF) began its summer schedule of worship, study, and social activity last Tuesday evening, 7:30 to 9:30, with President Clyde Mandeville in charge. The group will meet every Tuesday through the summer months, and invites guests of high school and college age to attend.

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Accrued Interest and Other Resources	43,017,452.31
TOTAL RESOURCES	**$8,362,863,815.24**

LIABILITIES

Capital	$150,000,000.00	
Surplus	200,000,000.00	
Undivided Profits and Reserves	104,862,238.75	
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS		454,862,238.75
Reserve for Possible Loan Losses		60,718,540.73
DEPOSITS Demand	$3,677,771,928.36	
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Other Securities	758,876.92
Loans and Discounts	33,848,908.61
Customers' Liability on Letters of Credit, etc.	45,746,703.04
Accrued Interest and Other Resources	478,501.87
TOTAL RESOURCES	$136,076,798.74

LIABILITIES

Capital	$10,000,000.00
Surplus	3,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	875,416.30
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS	$13,875,416.30
Reserve for Possible Loan Losses	600,000.00
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AUBURN—Coroner Francis E. West of Placer County will serve as sheriff until a successor to the late Charles F. Ward is appointed after the November general election results show whether William A. Scott, Auburn police chief, or Emmet McCary, Roseville police chief, is elected to a four year term. This was decided by supervisors last Thursday by a vote of 4 to 0 with J. B. Paolini of the first district absent. It came after some acrimonious remarks had been passed.

West will receive Ward's salary of $416.66 a month while he serves as sheriff. He will also continue to be coroner and public administrator, both fee jobs, and will be free to operate his private business enterprises.

DEFAULT CHARGED IN BOAT BUILDING CONTRACT AT BAY

SAN RAFAEL—Federal officials carried off $20,000 in marine parts from the Gotfredsen boat yard in San Rafael yesterday after matching various credentials and documents with the Marin county sheriff's office.

The seizure was the result of a default in a boat building contract by Gilbert J. Ballard, president of the Lake Tahoe Construction Co. He originally had a $256,000 contract to build 18 40-foot utility boats for the air force. The work was being done in the Gotfredsen yard.

When he was unable to fulfill the contract, his creditors, including the Gotfredsen yard, filed liens against him.

Yesterday when Assistant United States Attorney James B. Schnake arrived at the boat yard with three trucks to take off the property, a deputy sheriff was on hand to stop the proceedings, on behalf of the creditors.

After heated discussions and the matching of documents, the United State Government won out.

The trucks carried out Philippine mahogany, laminated oak, propellers, brass fittings and such items to the Mare Island Navy Yard, where the remaining boats will be finished. Ballard had completed nine of the craft and done some work on three others.

GASOLINE TAX IN STATE SHOWS BIG GAIN FOR MONTH

SACRAMENTO—State Controller Robert C. Kirkwood announced today that California's gross gasoline tax collections for May of this year totaled $21,290,489, representing an increase of $2,362,542, or 12 per cent over the previous month.

Kirkwood said that increase in gas tax collections over May of 1953 totaled $6,224,549, or 41 per cent, a reflection of the 1¼ cent increase voted by the 1953 legislature.

The controller completed distribution of the income, with $4,889,856 going to the counties of California. Of this sum, Nevada County received a total of $19,076.01 and Placer County $30,418.65.

Cities of California received $1,975,744, Kirkwood said, and the controller's office turned over $13,122,828 to the state highway fund for expenditure on the state's augmented highway building program.

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NORTH TAHOE

By JUDGE HARRY CHARRISON

A delightful wedding ceremony was held at the home of the John O'Connors in Kings Beach on Sunday, July 4 when a well known local citizen in the person of Harry Stubley and Regina Clarke Barieau of Auburn took the vows before Judge Harry Charrison, who performed the ceremony. Delightful refreshments were served by Theresa and Tom Sutton and moving pictures were taken of the group, who later were entertained at dinner at the White House, Carnelian Bay. The home of the O'Connors was beautifully decorated. The bride wore navy blue trimmed in white. Mrs. Harold White, the bride's daughter was the maid of honor and Harold White was best man. The guests included Joellyn Ashton, Earl and Mrs. Gray, Bill and Mrs. Wiseman, Tom and Mrs. Sutton, John McDade, Ronnie Myers, L. G. and Mrs. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, Harry and Mrs. Charrison, and of course the hosts, John and Mrs. O Connor. Outside the door John had placed a large sign "Chapel of the Pines," cute as could be.

The Lake Tahoe Lions Club met last Tuesday night in the North Tahoe Gun Club at Tahoe Vista. Jack Felte cooked the steaks, etc. Installation of officers was the main business. The following officers took over: President Walter Mandeville, First Vice President Jack Felte; Second Vice President, Bill Ball; Third Vice President, Mike Kornazowich; Lee Madden, secretary-treasurer; Charles Moore, lion tamer; Harry Graton, tail twister; directors, Ernie Crawford, Phil Geier, Wally Skaggs, and Clarence Beavers. The club members meet at Cal-Vada Lodge the first and third Tuesdays and both are ladies' nights.

Yet another night at Cal-Vada Lodge Joby and Helen Lewis entertained the people of the area at a delightful dinner and entertainment last Thursday night, some 300 attending, some from Homewood, Tahoe City and Truckee. Joby sure has the good will of all the locals and from one end of the north shore to the other, people are crowding into his club for the fun in the afternoons, nice clean fun, and all free too. The gathering at the dinner party voiced their approval, 100 per cent of the system Joby is running it under.

Saturday night and have just driven from Tahoe City, and all along the line the favorite sign was shining no vacancy, and cars bumper to bumper. I guess its no wonder, with the most beautiful weather at this most beautiful spot on earth, with the moon's half circle over the top of the majestic pines, was a sight to behold. People that have not seen it could not begin to believe there is such a place.

Talking to the Stanley Grays the other night. They are the owners of a beautiful resort at Tahoe Vista, known as Agate Bay Lodge. This is their first summer up here, and we are hoping that they will make it the first winter too.

Mrs. Phil Geier told me they have their granddaughter, Susan Bailey, to stay with them for all summer, and are they tickled to have her. The sweet young lady hails from Arcadia, down Southern California way. Geiers are at Tahoe Park.

Ralph Bly has made a swell job of the new clubhouse on the Tahoe City Golf course.

Father O'Neill of the Catholic Church of this area and Truckee announces that a dinner will be served Shore Club. All the lodges of Crystal Bay on Sunday, July 25. These lodges are, Cal-Vada Lodge, Cal-Neva Lodge and the North Shore Club. All the lodges are donating the food and entertainment for the benefit of the Catholic Church. The prices are quite nominal, and it is up to us to now do our very best for this good cause.

Had a police lieutenant in on a parking charge over the weekend. He exclaimed, "I had no idea there were parking problems up here in the wide open spaces, but believe me this Kings Beach has grown into a real city, but it still has to go some to catch up to my home town, Beverley Hills." Well, I should say so.

Sophie C. Miedema has been appointed acting court clerk for the Tahoe Judicial District at Tahoe City, assisting Judge Charrison Business is looking up in the Tahoe area.

Margie Charrison is the office secretary for Doctor Thomas Wyatt, the new doctor with offices in the Ta-Neva-Ho building at Crystal Bay.

The Wee Kirk of the Pines had the largest congregation yet last Sunday. Rev. A. B. Covher was really elated at the splendid progress being made both in the services and in the building of the seats for the outdoor chapel. It is pretty well a certainty that it will be in use this Sunday. Rev. Covhers' sermon last Sunday was "The Meaning of the World Revolution." There is still a whole lot of work to be done around the church so if you can help call Mr. Mosier or Rev. Covher. Any time spent would be greatly appreciated.

Saw the John Eybels drive in to their home this morning and it looks as though they will be up for the summer.

Oh, I nearly forgot, about the article of the boathouse, Meredith Siple is still looking for it. Hank Dodd called and asked if he could get the agency for them. No kidding. Meredith has a beautiful Mercury and it sure is a regular flying fish.

SECOND ANNUAL MILE HIGH GOLD CUP RACES TO BE AT SOUTH END

TAHOE CITY—Fred Main of Tahoe City, president of the Lake Tahoe-Sierra Chamber of Commerce, today announced latest information regarding the holding of the Second Annual Mile High Gold Cup Races which will be held this year at Pope s Beach, just south of Richardson's Camp, on September 11 and 12. The chamber, which sponsors the big event each year, has decided that the races will be held every other year at the south end, alternating with the Tahoe City locale.

At a meeting which combined business with dinner on Thursday evening last held at the Wagon Wheel, Main met with Harvey Gross, George Canon, Tom Armstrong and Norman Celio, vice president of the chamber. Also present were officials of the United States Forest Service whom were consulted regarding the use of the Federal Parks at the lake during the two days of racing activities. It is believed that permission will be granted to use the park faciilties, but should it be refused Mr. Main declares that facilities will be provided on adjoining private property.

Dates for the Sky High Regatta were definitely decided upon, September 11 and 12, and it was also agreed, with the sanction of the Far Western Power Boat Association, that the date of subsequent Gold Cup Races at Lake Tahoe will be set each year for the first weekend following Labor Day.

South Tahoe businessmen, anxious to equal, if not outdo the showing made last year by Tahoe City, have underwritten the cost of the races and guaranteed a checking account of $500 or more. A contract has been signed with a Sacramento firm to erect 5000 steel bleacher seats, and another 2000 if needed. General Petroleum's public address system has been hired, and a prominent sports announcer will man the mike for the two-day races.

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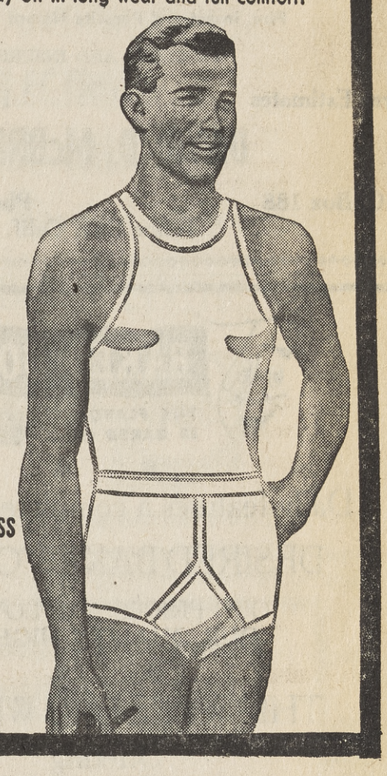

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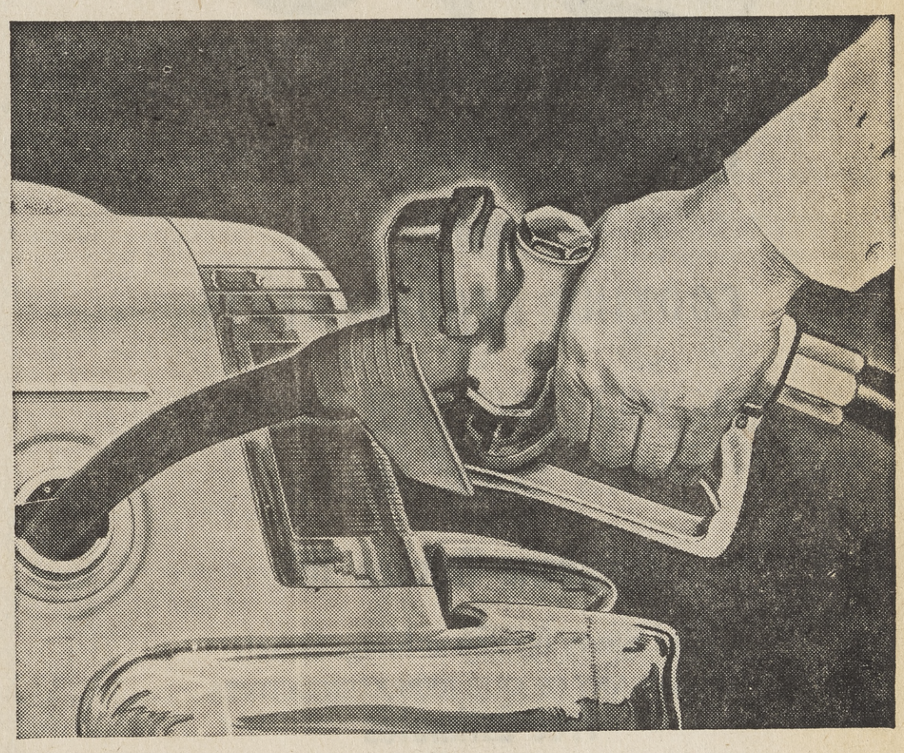

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SWANEE'S LETTER

(Continued from Page 3)

Charles Warner, authorized dealer, is introducing to the Tahoe area. This is a new product sold for years in the east, but just being discovered in the west. The best water proofing known today, is exceptionally effective in sealing leaky roofs and in waterproofing basements and foundations.

Warner and 8-year-old son Chick, and Ernie Hoxsie and 8-year-old son Joe, recently had a most unusual experience (for Tahoe) while on a fishing expedition to the Barker Meadow district, about 15 miles from Tahoe City. The party drove as far as possible in their car and then hiked into the vicinity of the creek where fishing proved wonderful, all returning with the limit of brook trout—pan-fry size. Their experience happened at noon as they sat down to consume a tasty picnic lunch. Little Chick thought he heard a noise (he told his mother later it sounded just like a little lost kitty) behind a tree and went to investigate, but it wasn't a kitty but a very nasty looking rattlesnake. He called to his father and Hoxsie and the men came running. With an old bar they found, and a club, they killed the reptile which measured around three feet in length and boasted seven rattles.

These they brought home to prove to disbelievers their story was true. The snake appeared to be sluggish and evidently was out of his native habitat. While rattlesnakes (and poison oak) are said to be strangers to the Tahoe area, it is believed the snake coluld have wandered over from the American River canyon, not far distant. Plenty of rattlesnakes have been found, and killed, in the Hell Hole District in years past, but in the area surrounding Lake Tahoe I have never heard of a rattler being seen.

H. O. Smith of Walnut Creek, brother of Mrs. Warner, is a guest over the holidays. He has received word that his wife Erika and children, are leaving Germany this week to make the rturn trip home to American. She has been visiting her parents there.

Albert Miller, prominent San Franciscan, who summers with his family at their home in Tahoe Park each year, had a most unpleasant experience on Saturday last. Friends came to call and when it came time to return home he offered them a lift in the Miller's new 18-foot Chris-Crift tied up at the pier. All went well until Miller started for home again around 6:15 p.m. He made only a part of the distance when the motor suddenly stopped and he discovered he was out of gas (it later developed that someone had used the boat, and the gas supply). So there he sat while the stars came out in the sky and the darkness deepened, the boat drifting with the tire farther and farther out into the lake.

He had no flares so was unable to signal for help. All he could do was sit and wait and hope someone would send out a boat to search for him. And that was just what his good wife did.

She became more and more worried as time went by and he failed to appear. The return trip should have taken only a short time, so she phoned Fred Main around 7:15 and a speedboat was sent out at once to look for him. They searched the shoreline to the south as far as Rubicon and then cut into the middle of the lake, and there, about 9:30 p.m., they found him, a bit cold and shaken, but none the worse for wear, he was mighty glad to get the lift home, and his family was relieved to learn he was unharmed. (And we'll bet a cookie he'll carry some flares from now on.)

Random Notes: Mrs. Jeanette Mitchell on Wednesday motored to Nevada City to file the necessary papers required to hold her placer mining claim near that town.

Two big openings last week proved big successes—both the Pfeifer house party, on Thursday evening, and Callender's annual open house were well patronized, with long hours of fun and frivolity the order of the day.

Latest word from honeymooners, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chapman Bortz (she is the former Miss Shirley Flagg), is to the effect that they have returned from a 12-day stay in the Hawaiian Island, which was heavenly, and have motored to Ft. Benning, Ga., where the bridegroom returns to the service, and Shirley will keep house in a cozy apartment. Mr. and Mrs. John Flagg, her parents, met them at the Reno airport last week when they flew in, greeted them as they alighted from the plane all decked out in Hawaiian garb, and then bid them adieu.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hearne and son Bill of Stockton are visiting the Harold Farrs in Tahoe City.

A last word about terrible fire near Tahoe City last Wednesday. Seems now that the truth of the matter is that an 11-year-old boy actually started the fire that burned over an estimated 60 acres of choicest timberland belonging to Mrs. Dorothy Forbes, who places the loss to her proyerty at a quarter million dollars.

Credit for spotting the fire first goes to Henry Newberry, stateline lookout at north Tahoe who sent out the larm.

And finding the boy, who admitted he started the fire, came about because he started a second fire on the night of the same day.

Mrs. Jeannette Mitchell of Tahoe Park glanced out of her window around 9:30 p.m. and wondered if her eyes deceived her when she sighted a fire burning in her own backyard. She rushed out to find three children there—a boy of 11, a girl of about 6 and a second boy of around 14.

Asked what they were doing they said they were making a campfire because they were cold—they failed to realize they were not on the public campgrounds, and the 11-yar-old became quite impudent to Mrs. Mitchell.

She called to her husband, Imon, and asked him to hold the children there while she called the authorities—but Butch Beavers and Constable Harry Johanson were both on duty at the big fire and not available.

Mrs. Beavers sent over David McBride who was at the house at that moment and he and a companion forced the children to carry water in buckets from the campgrounds, and throw dirt upon the fire, until it was thoroughly extinguished. Then they were taken home to their parents who are camped in trailer houses at the campgrounds.

Later Butch Beavers talked with the boy who admitted he started the big fire on the other side of town. He claimed two older boys were with him, and when the fire they started got out of hand the older boy became frightened and left the scene but failed to call for help.

Butch invited the youngster to take a ride with him and asked him to point out the place where he had presumably started the fire. The boy pointed out the exact spot at which the forest officials estimated it started.

On Friday the boy and his parents appeared before Judge Harry Charrison in his Tahoe City courtroom, and during the proceedings at which the judge administered a stern lecture to the parents and the boy, matches were found in the pockets of the 11-year-old and taken from him. His mother claimed the youth just told lies to gain attention and said he was no where near the fire at the time it started, but officials are inclined to believe the boy's story.

What a tragic price Tahoe has paid for the lack of proper supervision for one small boy.

Leave you for the week with a cheery adios and best wishes to all. As ever,

SWANEE

ANNUAL JULY 4 SKI MEET HELD

TAHOE CITY—A good crowd witnessed the Fifth Annual Fourth of July Squaw Valley slalom held atop the North Bowl at 3:30 p.m. Sunday. Snow was reported fast and in fairly good condition, despite the lateness of the season. Thirty-eight men and 12 women entered the 16 gate contest.

Jim Baker, A class racer from Tahoe City, skiing for the newly organized Squaw Valley-Lake Tahoe Ski Club, took first place trophy for the event in 34 second. Tying for second place were Leif Sommerseth, A racer of the Sugar Bowl Club and Joe Auckenthaler, Open Class, of the Reno Ski Bowl, in 34.2 second; with Dick Buek, Sun Valley Ski Club, next in 34.5 seconds.

Babbette Haueisen of the Sugar Bowl Club too the lady's trophy in 40 econds; Donna Hanson of Berkeley Ski Club came in second in 48.9 seconds and Jackie Dodson of Sugar Bowl Club took third in 49.8 seconds.

Squaw Valley's Pat Riley was chairman of the tournament, the last of the season here.

TAHOE WEATHER

TAHOE CITY—The level of Lake Tahe Monday stood at 6228.52 feet, with two gates into the Truckee River open, Art Frodenberg, cooperative observer at the gates, announced. The temperaure at Tahoe City has ranged from a warm 80 on July 3 to a chilly 39 the same morning. No precepitation was reported for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Wikander have written from their Oakland home, having left Tahoe City.

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The second group, seasoned firefighters, are given a refresher course, lasting one week, at the start of the season. The emphasis here is placed on leadership of a five to ten-man crew on attacking fires up to 15 to 20 acres in size. The use of water is taught as well as the use of mechanical devices such as pumps, power saws, fire trucks, etc. These men are regular crew foremen or "fire guards" located in isolated areas. The "fire guard" has to be able to work by himself on any size fire until additional help arrives. He then directs the efforts of the follow-up crew if that crew does not have a well-seasoned leader (such as a group of local citizens, mill crew, woods crew, etc.). These men carry a heavy responsibility for it is their initial efforts which, to a large degree, determines if a fire is put out as a small one or results in a major conflagration.

CENTENNIALETTES—These six lovely girls were chosen "Centennialettes" for the big four-day Mare Island Centennial celebration to be staged at Vallejo, Calif., Sept. 16-19. Selected from a field of 73 contestants were, left to right, Darlene Carmichael, 18; Ethel Anderson, 18; Carmen Usiak, 17, all of Vallejo; Leona Cullar, 17, of Crockett, Calif.; and Carol Lou Castagnoli, 17, and Susan Pennington, 17, both of Vallejo. The fete will observe the 100th anniversary of the establishment of a U. S. Navy base at Mare Island.

TRUCKEE PUBLIC BOARD MEETINGS

Truckee Public Utility District
Meets 2nd and last Tuesday each month at 2:30 p.m. in the district office.

Truckee Sanitary District
Meets 1st Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Justice Court Offices.

Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District
Meets 2nd Tuesday each month at 8 p.m. at the high school.

Tahoe Forest Hospital District
Meets 2nd Friday each month at 7:30 p.m. at the hospital.

Truckee Fire District
Meets 1st Tuesday each month at 10 a.m. in R. N. Little's office.

Truckee Cemetery District
Meets at call of Chairman W. M. Englehart.

There are 8½ miles of inspection galleries and 2½ miles of shafts in the Grand Coulee Dam in central Washington.

PLANTEEN LEAVES STATE POSITION

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — Gov. Goodwin J. Knight's office has accepted the resignation of Ralph Planteen, deputy director of the state department of employment. Planteen also resigned as a member of the Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board, and as senior rules and regulations officer for the department, a post he held 18 years prior to his appointment last fall in the non-civil service post of deputy director.

The governor has not as yet selected a successor to Planteen's post, although it was learned that J. O. Reimel, assistant director of the department and directly under William A. Burkett, director, is highly favored.

That Planteen would either resign or be fired by the governor was predicted by Capitol News Service Tuesday, when it was learned that the governor s office was prepared to file some 39 charges of misconduct against the deputy director unless he resigned.

Burkett refused comment on reports that Planteen would have been discharged in the event he refused to resign.

Planteen told reporters he was quitting "because I need a good rest and the best way seemed to resign."

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE AND DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ruth Notley, residing in Truckee, California, intends to sell and transfer to Minnie Coleman, who resides in Truckee, California, all of her partnership interest in that certain hotel business, known as the Riverside Hotel, situated on corner of Commercial Row and Bridge Street, in the town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, together with all her interest in the stock in trade, furniture, fixtures, furnishing and signs, on the 15th day of July, 1954, at 2 o'clock P.M. in the law offices of Francis W. Robichaud, Masonic Building, Truckee, California.

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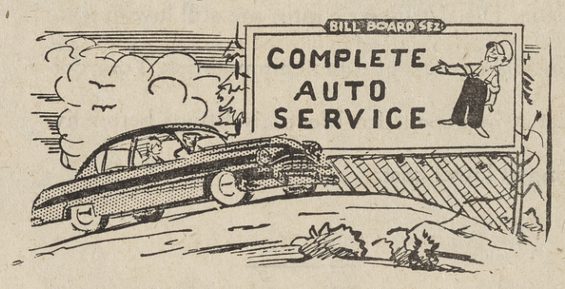

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Shasta Engineer Will Take Over Work On Sacramento Division

Howard F. Dully, Shasta division engineer for the Southern Pacific since 1951, has been appointed Sacramento division engineer for the railroad, effective July 1.

Dully's new position places him in charge of maintenance of all track and structures on SP's important main line route over the Sierra Nevada.

He is succeeding William F. Turner, who has retired after 48 years service with SP. Since 1923, Turner served mostly as Sacramento division engineer for the company. Dully, a graduate of the Oregon State College at Corvallis and a wartime major in the Army Engineers Corps, was senior assistant to Turner from 1948 until his promotion to the Dunsmuir post.

With Dully's transfer, Shasta Division Superintendent J. A. McKinnon named Rex. R. Baymiller as his replacement as division engineer. Baymiller was senior assistant engineer at Dunsmuir since 1948. Baymiller's former position has been filled by Albert L. McHenry, division engineer of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad for the past two years.

Ill at Oakland—

Mrs. George Moore of Oakland, who has many local friends was reported to be ill at her home city.

At Local Ranch—

Mr. and Mrs. Valerio Arraiz of Roseville are spending the summer at their local ranch.

Saunders Here—

Joe Saunders of Sacramento, former Truckee resident, was visiting friends here this week.

BANK STATEMENT FOR YEAR SHOWS HEALTHY INCREASE

The midyear statement of condition of Bank of America as of June 30, 1954, compared with the same date a year ago, shows increases in capital funds, deposits, total resources and investments in securities, and a decrease in total loans outstanding.

Deposits stand at $7,596,034,667, which is $320,584,474 more than a year ago. Total resources are $8,362,863,815, a gain of $345,290,455. Including the bank's wholly-owned subsidiary, Bank of America—New York (International), full total resources are $8,498,940,613, a total gain of $377,921,4499.

Investments in securities total $2,754,135,382, compared with $2,336,201,153 last midyear. Loans outstanding aggregate $4,006,032,195, which is $161,759,749 lower.

Total capital funds and reserve for possible losses now amount to $515,580,779, an increase of $17,889,509 for the first half of 1954. The reserve for possible loan losses now stands at a total of $60,718,540, an increase of $4,391,033.

President S. Clark Beise stated that net current earnings for the half year, after provision for federal taxes but before making an allocation of earnings to the reserve for possible loan losses, were $37,698,476, or $1.57 per share on the 24,000,000 shares outstanding, compared with $34,876,726, or $1.45 per shore for the comparable period of last year. An allocation of earnings to the reserve for possible loan losses is customarily made at the year end; however $5,000,000 was transferred from the current half year's earnings to this reserve.

Out of this half year's net profit, dividends amounting to $19,2000,000 were paid to over 200,000 shareholders for the six months at the regular annual rate of $1.60 per share, President Beise stated.

EIGHT EITHER-SEX DEER SEASONS SET

Eight out of 16 special antlerless or either-sex deer hunting seasons, proposed by sportsmen and landowners, have been approved by the California Fish and Game Commission and will be held this fall.

A total of 4530 deer, including 2600 of either sex and 1330 antlerless, will be taken by special permit.

Sportsmen and landowner groups had urged the special hunts to alleviate local crop depredations by deer and to harvest deer on areas closed during the high fire hazard season.

Applications to participate in one of the special hunts, which are attached to 1954 deer tags, must be filled in and mailed to the department s Sacramento office, 926 J street, before August 16. Hunters are limited to one hunt, and must specify which they are applying for on the application. Eligibles will be notified by mail following the lottery drawing on August 30.

Details of the special hunting seasons, which are in addition to the 1954 general deer hunting seasons include:

Sierra foothills zone I (Nevada, Yuba, Placer counties)—1000 either sex; two hunt periods: October 11-17 for first 500 permittees, October 18-24 for second 500.

Sierra foothills zone II (El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, Amador counties)—1000 either sex; two hunt periods: October 4-10 for first 500 permittees, October 11-17 for second 500.

Each Cent of County Tax Levied Means Bill Of $3300, Says Report

Each cent of county-wide tax rate levied in Nevada County means a property tax bill of about $3300, based on the 1953-54 county-wide value of taxable property of $33,002,910, California Taxpayers' Association said today.

In the case of the cities of the county, each cent of city tax rate means a city tax bill as follows: Grass Valley, $540; and Nevada City, $259.

As the other side of the coin, each cent of property tax rate which is not levied by any local government means a tax savings for the property owners.

Property tax bills usually include levies for school districts and special districts, and sometimes cities, as well as the county, the association said.

"Tax savings in any government come through economy in expenditure—through finding better ways of doing a government job, tightening up on benefits to individuals, or cutting down or cutting out some government activity," the Taxpayers Association said.

"In most communities, decisions about local government budgets—spending programs—are being finalized during July and August.

"November tax bills will reflect the decisions made.

"Tax savings—tax rate cuts or rates held to a minimum—should be the particular business of property taxpayers in July and August," the Taxpayers' Association declared.

Chamber Discusses Boat Races At Local Meeting

Final plans for the outboard boat races to start at noon Sunday at the west end of Donner Lake, were made at the meeting of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening at Brown's Cafe.

The chamber members also discussed, without a decision, plans to sponsor a swimming meet, to include all the youngsters as well as adults of the area. This program will be given further study before any action is taken.

A committee was appointed to meet with the directors of the Truckee Public Utility District regarding financial support for various projects contemplated.

The next meeting will be held at Donner Lake Lodge on the evening of July 20 at 6:30 and all members and others interested in the development of the region are asked to attend.

Howard Newsham presided at Tuesday's session.

Mrs. Frank Giovannoni is celebrating her birth date today, with her family.

Super Visits—

M. L. Jennings, district superintendent for the Southern Pacific, is visiting here this week and enjoyng fishing—his favorite sport.

Kings Beach Man Ill—

Stephen Port of Kings Beach was a Tahoe Forest Hospital patient last week, entering June 29.

Head Hurt—

Lloyd Rains, employe of Donner Lake Lodge is reported to have received head injuries when he fell from a hay truck on July 1 and was a Tahoe Forest Hospital patient.

Gives Timber for Exit—

Pearl Landry, who is employed at Tahoe Forest Hospital donated a dozen small timbers to build a foundation for construction of the emergency exit in the convalescent lounge, recently converted from an open porch in the edifice.

In Grass Valley—

Mr. and Mrs. James Leamon returned to Grass Valley after spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langille. Marcia Leamon is a guest this week of her uncle and aunt.

READ ALL THE ADS!

State Foresters Breath Easier After Fires Out

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—State forest officials breathed easier today as several Fourth of July forest and range fires were brought under control.

They said about 1300 acres of grass and timber burned in two fires near Oroville, in Butte County, during the weekend. Other fires swept over rangelands in Sutter County.

A grass and brush fire blackened 100 acres between Columbia and Angels Camp in Calaveras County, foresters reported.

The officials said all the fires were under control.

Mrs. Molly Ross of Los Angeles, mother of Mrs. Patti Scott, visited over the holidays at the Scott home. Miss Kitty Reed, niece of Mrs. Scott is vacationing for a month with the Scotts from Los Angeles.

Finnegan Children on Best Float—

Patty and Jack Finnegan, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Finnegan of Truckee were in a group which won first prize for the best float in the children's parade held at Nevada City on Saturday night. The float was captioned "The Family Picture."

In Oakland—

Vicki and Stephanie Firpo, with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Al George of Oakland returned from the bay district last week where they had been guests of their relatives.

Stewart Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney and five children from Long Beach and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leadwell of Petaluma were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart. Mrs. McKinney is Stewart's sister and Mrs. Leadwell is Mrs. Stewart's aunt. Earl Leadwell, son of the visitors, is employed at Stewart's Truckee Bakery.

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Bill Elliott - Peggy Castle
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by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

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...TWO YOUNG ROUÉS, GEORGIE FEARONS AND STERLING SHEA, WERE ENTHRALLED BY THE LATTER'S UNCLE, BERNARD SHEA, AND HIS ACCOUNT OF AFRICAN ADVENTURE..

...YES, BOYS, AFRICA IS A LAND OF INTRIGUE--BUT TOO HAZARDOUS FOR CHAPS LIKE YOU--"

STERLING WAS IRRITATED. "I BEG PARDON, UNCLE BERNIE--PERHAPS WE ARE FOND OF THE DRAWING ROOM--BUT I DARE SAY WE'VE ALSO GOT INTESTINAL FORTITUDE--"

"COME, COME," SCOFFED BERNARD. "EVEN YOUR MONEY WOULD BE USELESS IN THE CONGO--AND HOW COULD YOU MISS YOUR DAILY GIN AND BITTERS?"

STERLING'S FACE REDDENED. "REALLY, UNCLE, WHY PROVOKE GEORGIE AND ME? I'LL WAGER THAT WE CAN SURVIVE ANYWHERE--ON OUR OWN RESOURCES--"

"WELL, I-I--" GEORGIE SPUTTERED. "GOOD!" COAXED BERNARD SHEA. "A SPORTING CHALLENGE, THEN--I'LL ARRANGE TO FLY YOU TO AN UNCHARTERED SECTION--"

...THUS, DAYS LATER, TARZAN OF THE APES WAS ALERTED IN HIS JUNGLE HABITAT BY THE PURRING ENGINE OF A DISTANT AIR-PLANE.

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ABBIE an' SLATS by RAEBURN VAN BUREN

WHEN BATHLESS GROGGINS FELL ASLEEP OVER AN ANCIENT ORIENTAL TYPEWRITER HE FISHED OUT OF HIS TRUNK, STRANGE THINGS BEGAN TO HAPPEN...SUCH AS THE VERY ODD TYPEWRITER'S TURNING OUT NOVELS UNDER ITS OWN POWER!!

BOOK DISCOVE CLUB

ANOTHER (GASP) OUTPOURING OF YOUR FATHER'S TORTURED SOUL, MISS GROGGINS? WHAT A FOUNTAINHEAD OF CREATIVE ENERGY, WHAT A VOLCANO OF UNFORGETTABLE PROSE!!

...AND HE BLOSSOMED INTO LITERARY FAME RIGHT UNDER OUR VERY **NOSES!**

SKIP THE NASTY WISE-CRACKS, FATSO

CRABTRE CORNERS LITERA IRCLE

...IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO INTRODUCE THE LATEST **WRITING SENSATION**, J.P. GROGGINS.

FAKE IT, FATSO, WHILST I LIGHT UP MY CIGAR

THEM THAT ALWAYS FIGGERED ME AS AN UNSANITARY **OLD BUM** NOT **FIT** T'ASSOCIATE WITH REGULAR BATH-TAKIN' MEMBERS O' THE COMMUNITY IS **NOW** (CHUCKLE) **EATIN'** THEIR WORDS!

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MR. GROGGINS—HOW DO YOU COMPARE HEMINGWAY WITH TOLSTOI?

HEMINGWAY'S THE BETTER MAN IN THE OUTFIELD, BUT GIMME TOLSTOI WITH A BAT IN HIS MITTS WHEN THE SCORE IS TIED! ANY MORE QUESTIONS, LADIES?

STOP THE (GASP) PRESSES!!

THAT **LATEST** GROGGINS BOOK MUST BE DYNAMITE!

PRIVATE

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IT SURE IS, SISTER... MORE NEXT WEEK

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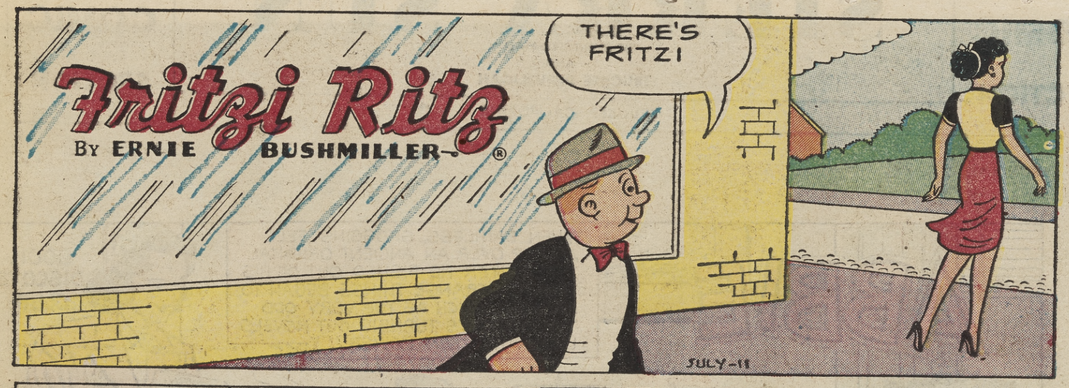
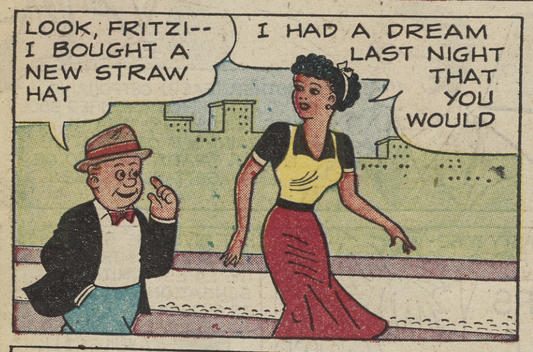
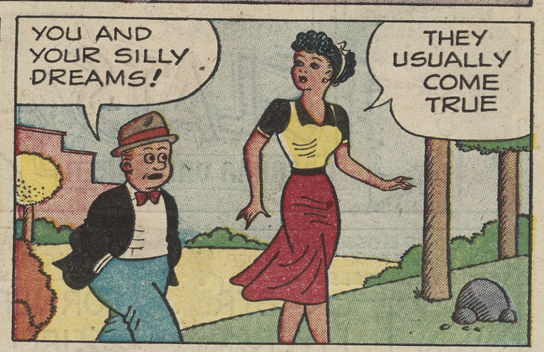
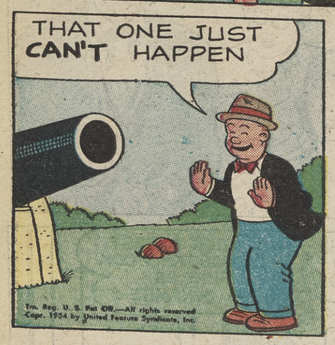
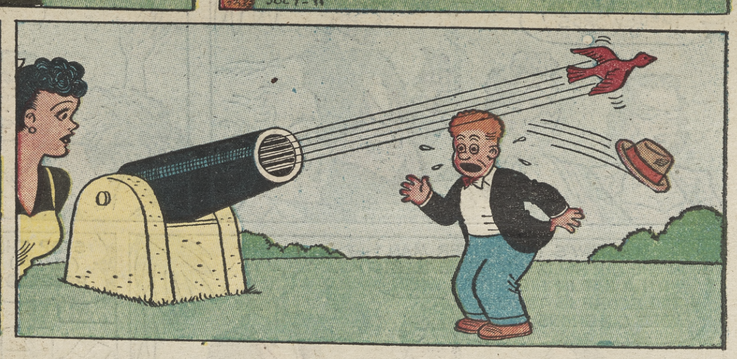
By ERNIE BUSHMILLER





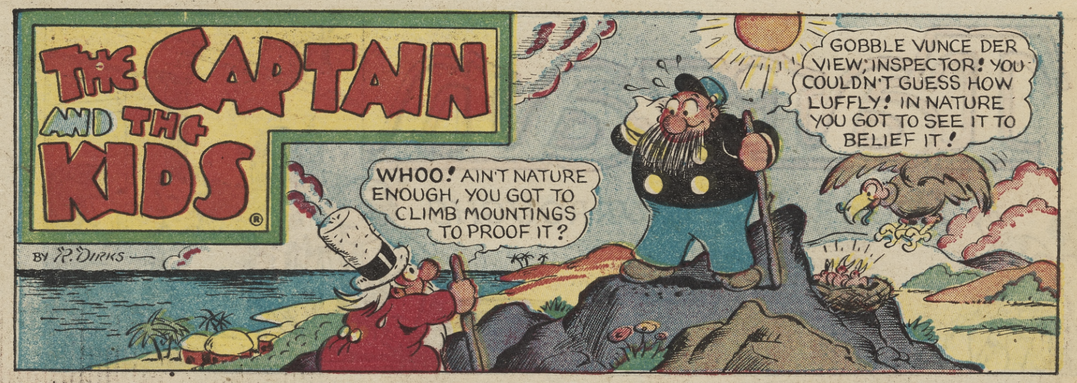


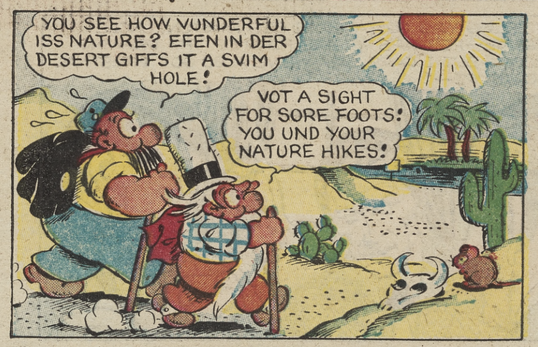




The Captain and the Kids

By R. Dirks


WHOO! AIN'T NATURE ENOUGH, YOU GOT TO CLIMB MOUNTINGS TO PROOF IT?
GOBBLE VUNCE DER VIEW, INSPECTOR! YOU COULDN'T GUESS HOW LUFFLY! IN NATURE YOU GOT TO SEE IT TO BELIEF IT!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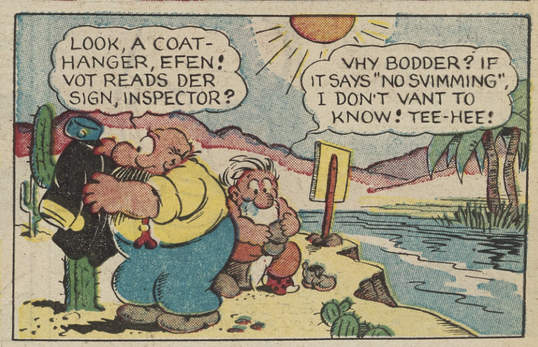
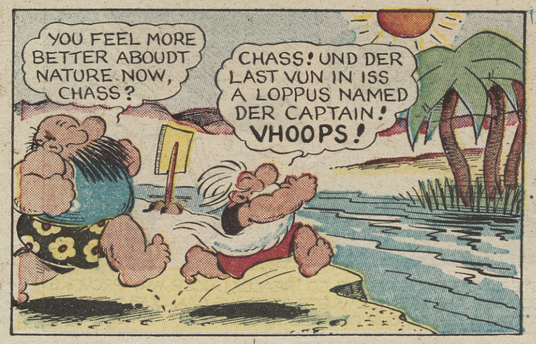
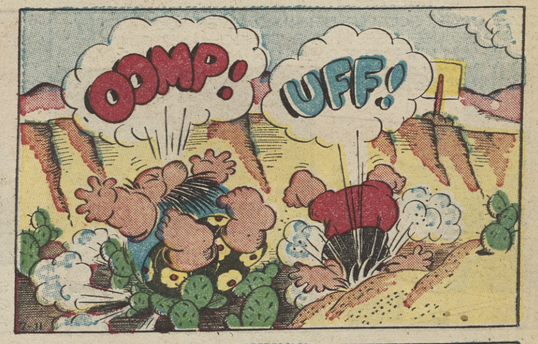
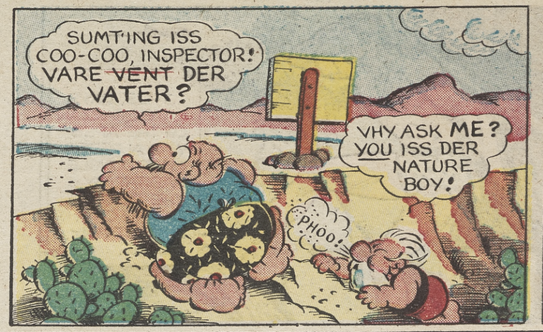
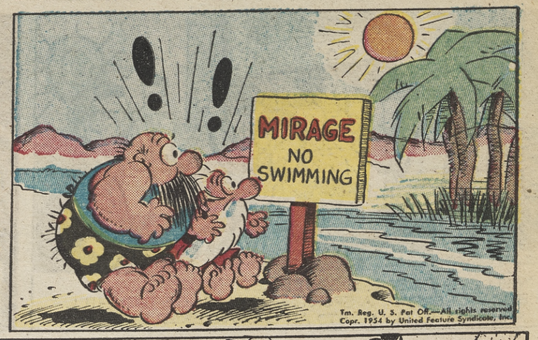
VOT A SIGHT FOR SORE FOOTS! YOU UND YOUR NATURE HIKES!











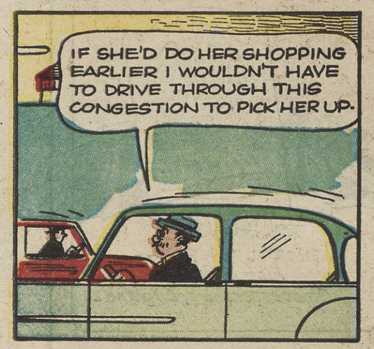
Archie

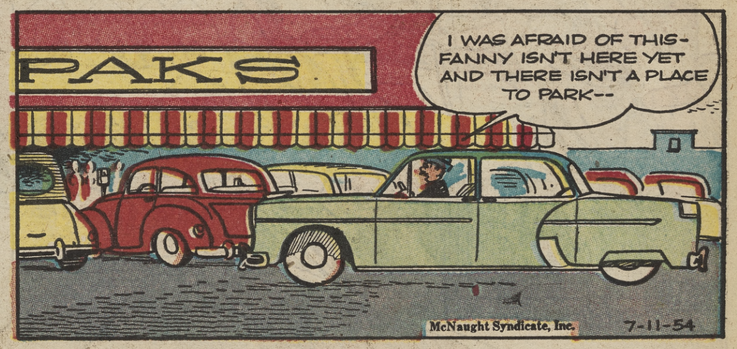
by BOB MONTANA

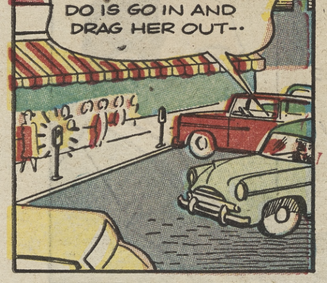
WHAT'S EVERYONE GOING INTO THE CELLAR FOR? IS THERE A TORNADO COMING?
BIGGER THAN THAT! ARCHIE SAYS IT'S A WORLD-SHATTERING INVENTION!

The Nebbs

BY HESS







STRANGE as it seems — ELSIE HIX

"ASTOR TO PHILIP'S RIGHT EYE"--
AN ARROW THAT CAUSED KING PHILIP OF MACEDONIA TO LOSE ONE OF HIS EYES WAS FOUND TO BE SO INSCRIBED... AN OFFENDED ARCHER WHO HAD OFFERED HIS SERVICES TO THE KING, AND HAD BEEN REJECTED, JOINED THE ENEMY AND VINDICATED HIS SKILL IN AN UNFORGOTTEN MANNER... -353 B.C.-

THE FOOTPRINT OF 17-WEEK-OLD AMY BURKHOLDER of *Mansfield, Ohio,* WAS HONORED BY THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AS THE ENDORSEMENT ON A CHECK GIVEN TO HER BY ONE OF HER PARENTS' FRIENDS

IN MEMORY OF THE OLD FISH
UNDER THE SOIL THE OLD FISH DO LIE
20 YEARS HE LIVED AND THEN DID DIE
HE WAS SO TAME YOU UNDERSTAND
HE WOULD COME AND EAT OUT OF OUR HAND
DIED April the 2d 1855
Aged 20 YEARS

MEMORIAL TO A FISH -- *Fish Cottage, Gloucestershire, England...*

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JEANNE CRAIN GOT HER START IN PICTURES WHEN A TALENT SCOUT SPOTTED HER ENJOYING A PLAY AS A SPECTATOR! GIVEN A SCREEN TEST SHE WAS IMMEDIATELY SIGNED TO A LONG-TERM CONTRACT

A RARE GREEK BIBLE, DATING FROM THE NINTH OR TENTH CENTURY AND NOW IN THE DIVINITY SCHOOL OF CHICAGO LIBRARY, WAS ONCE OWNED BY COLOSIMO, OF THE AL CAPONE GANG, AND USED TO SWEAR IN NEW GANGSTER MEMBERS...

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ENRICO CARUSO, *noted tenor,* SANG ONE WHOLE ACT OF ELIGIR D'AMORE *WITH A BROKEN BLOOD VESSEL IN HIS THROAT!*
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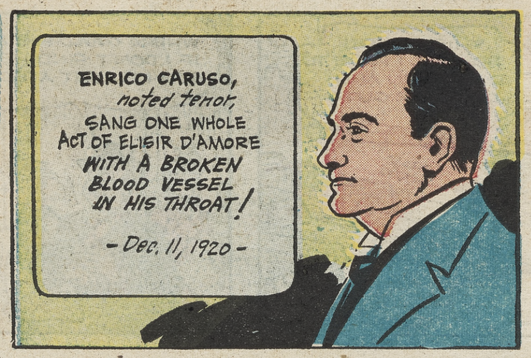

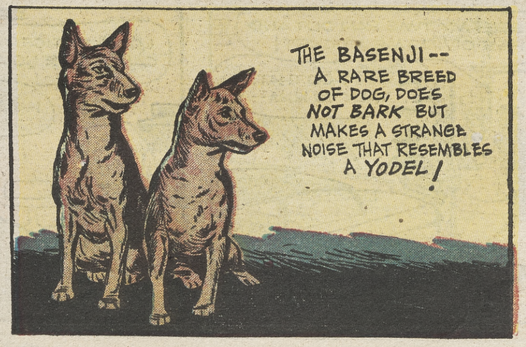

THE BASENJI -- A RARE BREED OF DOG, DOES *NOT BARK* BUT MAKES A STRANGE NOISE THAT RESEMBLES A *YODEL!*

CURLY KAYOE

by SAM LEFF

CURLY GOT A TREMENDOUS OVATION FOR HIS GREAT SHOW OF SPORTSMANSHIP WHEN HE HELPED DYNAMITE DUNN TO HIS FEET!

IT CERTAINLY WAS A GRAND GESTURE!

AS THE MAN-BEHIND-THE-MAN... YOU'VE HAD A MOST-INTERESTING LIFE, MR. JINKS! IT WILL MAKE A FINE BOOK! TELL ME MORE ABOUT HOW CURLY WON THE TITLE!

WELL, MR. SANBAG! THE SECOND ROUND OPENED WITH A FAST EXCHANGE OF BODY BLOWS!

"SUDDENLY, DYNAMITE DUNN SWITCHED HIS ATTACK AND CAUGHT CURLY KAYOE WITH A LEFT TO THE EYE..."

"BUT CURLY CONTINUED HIS BODY PUNCHES! DYNAMITE'S RIBS MUST HAVE CAVED IN — A LOOK OF INTENSE PAIN CAME TO DUNN'S FACE!"

"THE BELL STOPPED THE BARRAGE! BUT IN THE THIRD ROUND CURLY ATTACKED AGAIN — EVERY BLOW MADE POOR DYNAMITE WINCE!"

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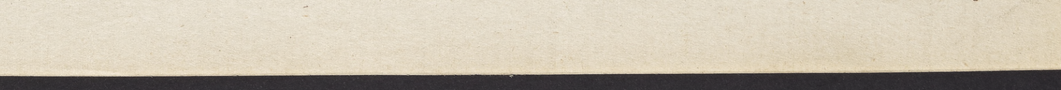
"THEN CURLY SENT A SMASHING RIGHT TO DUNN'S RIBS... AND DYNAMITE WENT DOWN!"

"YOU NEVER SAW A CROWD SO EVENLY DIVIDED! HALF OF THEM WERE SILENT AND THE OTHER HALF WAS UP ON ITS FEET, CHEERING!"

YIPPEE! 'RAY! -TWO-THREE- YAY! GET UP- GET UP!!

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